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GENERAL SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

Affairs in the local ball club are in a very interesting condition just now. Three Stars players who have been bargained for are yet unsigned and a surprise is expected at any moment. Of course the three players are Hanlon, Rowe and White. "The first named is expected in the city to-day, but the officers of the club are not sure as to

whether or not he will come to terms.

The facts of Hanlon's case are to the following effect: The local club agreed to pay Detroit \$2,000 for his release and to pay him a salary equal to that which he had at Detroit last When he met Manager Phillips recently he expressed himself as about satisfied with the salary offered, but he demanded a little However, what he desired most was \$500 of the \$2,000 paid Detroit for his release. To try and get this he purposed visiting ex-President Stearns, of Detroit, between last Tuesday and his return here. Doubtless he has met Mr. Scearns by this time, but what the result of the conference is cannot be conjectured yet.

PHILLIPS STATES HIS CASE. Speaking of the matter last evening, Man-

ager Phillips said: ,"After to-day we cannot possibly give Haulon any more salary than what has been offered him. The classification rule forbids that, and the only thing we can do outside of our offer is to allow President Young to classify him. According to general agreement all the players of the Spalding teams who were unsigned were allowed 15 days after their return to this country to make terms with their respective clubs. The 15 days expire to-day, and the players can, if clubs wish, be handed over for classification In no way, however, can offers already made be improved. Que agreement with Hanlon so far is that we are to pay him a salary of so

far is that we are to pay him a salary of so much per month from the day that he reports for duty. This means that Mr. Spalding will have to pay him up to yesterday.

"Now I think that Hanlon will most assuredly be acting contrary to his own interests in not signing at once, even if he does not get any of his advance money from Detroit. Every day he holds off will cost him part of the salary we now offer him. It will not take long to pile his loss up equal to what he holds out for in the way of a share of purchase money, as we certainly cannot pay Hanlon for any time that he does not belong to the team. NO WORK NO PAY.

In other words, if he does not sign with us until May 1, his salary will start from that date at the rate we agreed to him per month. This is fair to him and us. We want him with us, of course, and I think we have made him a very

Regarding the rumors about Rowe and White Manager Phillips said: 11 decided and White Regarding the rumors about Rowe and White Manager Phillips said: "I don't think there is any truth in the statements that efforts are now going on to get them here. I know that President Nimick is now in Philadelphia and as far I know is not courresponding with either fit the players or Mr. Stearns on the matter. If he was I think I would know of it. However, I am of opinihn that as soon as the Buffalo team is fixed up we may hear from one or both of the players. They cannot make anything like the amount of money at Buffalo that they could get here. They cannot by any means get their releases no matter what they do."

Until everything is definitely settled regarding the three players named, Manager Phillips can give no idea as to the makeup of the team. If Hanlon arrives and signs to-day, he will play in center field on Wednesday and, assuming he does, Mr. Phillips was still unable to say who will be in left field. "I am happy to say," continued the Manager, "that Conway's arm is about all right again. He will pitch on Thursday, but I don't know yet who will be his catcher. There is one thing, however, that I wish understood that any obstinate player, pitcher or anything else will not be allowed to shirk duty or play any monkey business this year. We can soon sell a man entirely out of the city. I had thought that this couldn't well be done, as we wished under the new rules, but we can manage it. Suppose a player permits in imposing on the club and we

new rules, but we can manage it. Suppose a player permits in imposing on the club and we resolve to dispose of him. We can find out what other club wants him, and as soon as we what other cub wants him, and as soon as we state our case to the balance of the clubs they will waive claim on him. All that is needed to protect us in beginning the transaction is to get a security from the club wanting him to the effect that it will pay the amount according."

Manager Phillips thinks that many people will be fooled with Chicago this year. He thinks Anson will have a strong team, and that such pitchers as Krock. Hutchinsan, the lightning twirler, Dwyer, Van Haltren and Baldwin will bother lots of people.

DROPPED ANOTHER.

Louisville Loses n Lively Game Against the Browns.

LOUISVILLE, KY., April 21. - Louisville dropped another game to-day by poor fielding. A crowd of 8,000, one of the largest ever seen in the grounds, was present and in a humor to be ugly on occasion. The outfield seats were

It was ruled that it should count a home run. It was ruled that it should count a home run. The score was so counted for Latham in the first inning, and when Daniels allowed Wolf only two bases on the same hit in the seventh the mob filled the held, threatening. After half an hour's wranging he allowed Wolf the run. Batting on both sides was clever, and Hecker and Cook as Louisville's battery played colorable wildly.

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TO-DAY'S HOME GAME.

Manager Chapman Means to Hustle the Local Sluggers.

Baseball cranks may expect something like a lively game at Recreation Park to-day if the weather is fine. The Syracuse Stars will appear for the last time until next fall at least pear for the last time until next fall at least and Manager Chapman says they will be on their mettle. The battery, Murphy and Walker, that made things so close and exciting on Friday, will be in to-day for the Stars. Spectators can depend on the fact that Mr. Murphy means business every time. Staley and Carroll will be the home battery, and Mani or Nichols will be in left field. It is likely that Miller and Aldrich will officiate as unpires as they did very well on Saturday.

WON WITH EASE.

The Quakers Trim Up the Pets From Brooklyn.

PHILADELPHIA, April 21.—The concluding game in the first Athletic-Brooklyn series was played at Gloucester, N. J., this afternoon and was won by the local team by better all around was won by the socal team by better all around play. Caruthers was hit hard and at the proper time, and his support—notably Smith—was indifferent. Smith was wild, sending nine men to first on balls, but when he did get the ball across the plate the visitors were unable to hit it safely. The work of the Athletic infield was sharp and brilliant, and Bierbauer and Lyone hit hard. Score: Lyons hit hard, Score: 

Hase hits--Athletics, 12; Brooklyns, 5. Errors--Athletics, 2; Brooklyns, 7. Batteries--Smith and Brennan; Carathers and

A GREAT GAME.

The Reds Just Manage to Beat the Cowboys.

CINCINNATI, April 21.-The Cincinnatis made a grand rally in the ninth inning of today's game and scored three runs, which gave them a lead of one over Kansas City. The visitors tied the score in the latter half of the inning, but the Reds batted out the vic-

and Stearns were the features. Over 15,000 peo-0 1 2 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 6 Base hits—Cincinnatis, II; Kansas Citys, 14. Errors—Cincinnatis, 4; Kausas Citys, 9. Batteries—Muliane and Baldwin; McCarty and

A Few Runs to Spare. The Postal Telegraph operators had some-thing more than a picnic with the Broker Operators in a ball game on Saturday. The following score explains the fun: 7 11 6 6 6 6 5 1 3-51

Signed With Cincinnati. CINCINNATI, April 21 .- Two members of the All-Americas baseball team that made the trip

around the world, signed contracts for the season here to-day. William Earle signed with the Cincinnatis, and James Manning signed with the Kansas City club, Earle will occupy the position of catcher with the Cincinnation

DEMPSEY'S OPINION.

He Thinks Sullivan Will be in Good Shape for Kilrain. Before Jack Dempsey left the city on Saturday night he expressed his opinion about the proposed Sullivan-Kilrain battle. He said:
"Sullivan is in better condition than many people think he is. I saw him lately and he people think he is. I saw him lately and he weighed 230 phunds. He says that he intends to make the fight the great event of his life. I think he will get into good condition by the date of the battle. I would not bet much on the fight either way, however. I think Sullivan is a gamer man than Kilrain, and it is a fact that the latter has always been afraid of the big fellow. I firmly believe that Sullivan wants to fight."

THE PEDS DEPART. Noremac Grateful Yor His Treatment by

Pittsburgers. George D. "Noremac, George Cartwright, Parson Tilly, Adams and others of the pedes-trians left the city for the East last evening. They all intend to start in the big race at Madison Square Garden next month. Before leaving Noremac stated that he shall always have the kindest recollections of Pittsburg because of the gencrous treatment he has received from all parties. It is likely that Jimmy Taylor will train Cartwright for the Madison Square race. A Pittsburger intends to enter Horan in that race and if he does Peter Priddy will look after that plucky little pedestrian.

The Sprinters Again. FRANKLIN, PA., April 21.-Edwards, of Franklin, and Garrison, of Oil City, but who is really an imported Pittsburg "ringer," ran a 6734 yard foot race in this city last evening, Edwards winning with ease. Both men are un-known in this vicinity, and the sports of Frank-lin dropped to the fact that the race was a fake and was arranged by Pittsburg sports to dupe them. Consequently there was very little money bet on the result of the race.

Sporting Notes. PROCTOR KNOTT went badly in a trial on HEALY has accepted the terms of the Wash-JACK DEMPSET intends to take Jimmy Carroll to 'Frisco.

BIG CARROLL, with his jovial face, ought to meet with a good reception to-day. Manager Chapman states that \$5,000 will not buy Murphy, his loquacious pitcher. THE first ten-inning championship game of the season was played yesterday at Cincinnati MURPHY, of the Syracuse Stars, thinks that Hudson, of St. Louis, will not be able to pitch Hudson, of St. Lou much this year.

PITTSBURG cannot make a worse show against Chicago than Cincinnati did against St. Louis as a starter. ED WILLIAMSON arrived at New York on Saturday. He may join the Chicago team here on Wedndesday.

HOAGLAND and Dillon, the pedestrians, left for New York last night. The former may start in the Madison Square race, MANAGER W. LENG, of the Our Boys team. states that his club is ready to meet any of the County League teams and also any of the tri-State League aggregations. Smink will be one of the Our Boys catchers.

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S. A. Browne & Co., of Kalamazoo, Mich., have bought of John E. Madden, of Lexington, the bay trotting filly Belle Vara, 2 years old, by Vatican, dam by Ericsson Price, for \$6,500. She got a record of 2:35 in a race here last fall, which is the best for a yearling in a

LONGALIGHT, the celebrated race-horse, was badly injured Saturday at Latonia. His trainer had him out on the track giving him a spin, and collided with one of Mr. McLaughlin's horses. Longalight was kicked in the flank, and it is feared that he is permanently injured.—He is owned by Mr. W. R. Letcher.

THE DREXEL COLLEGE.

It Will be Different From Any Other Institution in the Country.

PHILADELPHIA, April 21 .- The Trustees of the Drexel Industrial College for Girls, which is to be established next fall at Wayne, Delaware county, will hold their first meeting to-morrow. For some time past Messrs. Drexel and Childs and others interested in the school have been inspecting various institutions that are managed on a basis resembling that of the proposed Wayne college, and have secured many valuable suggestions bearing on the work in hand. Mr. Childs, in speaking of

work in hand. Mr. Childs, in speaking of the Wayne school yesterday, said:
There is really no college in the country exactly like that which Mr. Drexel has in view. The Wayne Industrial School will receive young women after they have laid the foundations of their education, and they will be in structed in music, painting, typewriting, stenography, chemistry, and any other branches which women can take up practically in life. It is our hope that when our students have graduated they will be able to get positions paying them from \$1,000 to \$2,000, instead of \$500 or \$600, which they would probably receive without special training in any direction.

A FATAL FIRE.

Three Men Killed and One Injured in a Detroit Lodging House. DETROIT, April 21 .- A fire at Dehn's Hotel, a cheap lodging house, Nos. 43 and 45 Cadillac square, at 3 o'clock this after-

noon, caused the death of three men and se-

rious injury to a fourth. Malaki Powell, a porter, let a lighted lamp fall from his hands in the rear of the barroom, and in an almost incredible space of time the entire building was full of smoke. F. J. Gibson, a bartender, and F. T. Bollio were asleep on the third floor, and both were suffocated. William Whittaker, a sailor, was seen at his window on the fourth floor, but before the firemen could reach him he fell back and was smothered Powell was badly burned, but will recover. The fire was confined to the first floor, and the loss will not exceed \$1,500.

WIFE AND MONEY GONE. Mrs. Sullivan Takes Her Husband's Secre

Honrd and Leaves. [SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] Youngstown, April 21 .- Michael Sullivan, proprietor of a saloon near the fair grounds, reported to the police this morn-

ing that his wife, Rose Sullivan, had dis-

appeared, taking \$300 which he had secreted The officers traced her to Sharon, where she purchased a ticket for Erie, and a message was sent to the Erie police to arrest and hold her until an officer arrived.

Murat Haistend Improving CINCINNATI, April 21.-The improvement in Mr. Murat Halstead's condition was maintained throughout last night and to-day, and the action of the heart continues

Navigation Opened in Canada. MONTREAL, April 21.-Water was let into the Lachine canal Saturday night, and barges commenced to lock through at 12

The Main Line. See this great play at Harris' Theater-s

marvelous production. B. & B.

At 50c: Second great surah silk sale. Genuine tory in the tenth. The base running of Nicol double warp surahs, choice colorings, made the fielding of Beard and the batting of Long to sell at 75c. Boggs & Buhl. WEST POINTER HE DIED FOR LOVE.

Not So Numerous in the Army as Armes' Friends Imagine. in Rejected.

BABY M'KEE'S EASTER EGGS. Much Anxiety Concerning the Monongahela, Now Long Overdue.

THE PRESIDENTAL CENTENNIAL PLANS.

Mob Once More.

Captain Armes' friends are endeavoring to work up sympathy by stating that the nose-puller is a victim of West Point perseoution. He is not a West Pointer, and has been, they claim, unjustly treated by the graduates. It is shown, however, that nongraduates are more numerous in the army than graduates, and the efforts of Armes' friends will not have much weight. Other Washington gossip is appended.

SEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 WASHINGTON, April 21 .- Captain Armes, whose trial by court martial for pull-ing Governor Beaver's nose, and for other queer demonstrations, is about concluded, has created some sympathy by the assertion that he is persecuted by West Point graduates because he is not one of the elect of that institution. This is declared by army officers to be absurd, for the reason that as a matter of fact the graduates of the military academy at present in the army are very largely in the minority. A simple inction of the official army register shows

The truth is, the subject is rarely if ever discussed in army circles, and the position of lack of a diploma from that institution makes no difference whatever in an officer's standing among his comrades. In the line of the army, for example, of ten colonels of cavalry, but three are graduates of West Point. All five of the colonels of artillery hall from the academy, but of the 25 colonels of infantry only 10 are graduates. Of 170 officers of cavalry above the grade of lieutenant, 56 are graduates; of 85 officers of artillery above the rank of lieutenant, 34 are graduates; and of 325 officers of infantry above the rank of lieutenant, but 35, or about 10 per cent, are graduates.

Among the subalterns the proportion is very much greater, but officers of this rank have relatively little influence, and few, if any, opportunities for persecution. In some of the regiments of infantry there are no graduates of the military academy above the junior grades. With the exception of the corps of engineers and ordnance department, a similar disparity in numbers exists in favor of the non-graduates of the military

THE PRESIDNTAL PARTY

That Will Go From Washington to the New York Centenninl.

INFECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. WASHINGTON, April 21. - The party which is to accompany the President to New York, to take part in the events of of the 30th instant, will be composed of Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. McKee, and Secretary. Halford. The entire party will go to the depot late Sunday night, and compose themselves for as good a night's rest-as the themselves for as good a night's rest as the circumstances will permit. The special train will pull out some time between midnight and 2 A. M. The Presidental party expect to leave New York for the return journey Tuesday night, about the same hour, arriving in Washington early on Wednesday, the 1st day of May.

One of the conspicuous figures at the cel-ebration will be the Chinese Minister, who will soon give way to a successor. his return he proposes giving, at the spa-cious and elegant residence of the Chinese legation, a farewell ball, which in point of splendor and magnificence is to surpass even the previous entertainments of the representatives of the Flowery Kingdom, and it will probably exceed in glittering features anything ever seen in Washington.

A STORY OF TWO VOTES.

Legendary Lore on the Subject of Don Cameron and Blanch K. Bruce.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] WASHINGTON, April 21 .- The "Sub Rosa" column in the Sunday Capital has the following touching story, which has recently started on its rounds of the news-

John J. Patterson tells a pretty story about the vote of Don Cameron in favor of seating M. C. Butler in the Senate, in 1877, instead of the duly elected Republican, D. T. Corbin. He ascribed Cameron's vote to gratitude for the ascribed Cameron's vote to gratitude for the vote of Mr. Butler's uncle in 1856, when Simon Cameron's right to his seat was contested. The grattinde is rather far fetched, but it may pass. Datterson's vote was given to keep his carcass gratitude is rather far fetched, but it may pass. Patterson's vote was given to keep his carcass out of the penitentiary. What I would like to know just now is what Blanch K. Bruce can offer as a reason why he should have marched out of the Senate while the vote was being taken that was to give the seat belonging to the bravest Republican prosecutor of the Ku Klux of South Carolina to the leader and defender of the men who planned and executed the Hamburg massacre. If Bruce had remained and voted, Cameron's grateful vote wouldn't have had a Democratic majority in the next accomplished nothing and the Senate wouldn't have had a Democratic majority in the next two years. Has Bruce any story of "gratitude"

FEAR SHE HAS FOUNDERED.

The Navy Department Bears Nothing of the Missing Monongahela.

SEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR, WASHINGTON, April 21 .- For the past few days a good deal of anxiety has been felt at the Navy Department as to the fate of the Monongahela, which sailed from San naval stores, more than 60 days ago. No word of her arrival has yet been received, though she should have reached Apia 20 days ago, and news of her arrival should have come before this, by way of Auckland. The authorities of the navy are beginning to fear that she was foundered in the same hurricane which created such havoc in the harbor of Apia. She was not in particularly good condition to withstand such a shaking up as she would have received in the track of that storm.

EASTER EGGS FOR THE WHITE HOUSE. Baby McKee Receives a Mammoth Re-

membrance of the Day.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.] WASHINGTON, April 21 .- Among the Easter remembrances sent to the White House on Saturday was a mammoth sugar egg for baby McKee. This gift came from Baltimore, and is as big as a bushel basket. The baby's name and "Easter, 1889," is inscribed upon the egg. Through a glass in one end a scene from Mrs. Burnett's "Little Lord Fauntleroy" may be seen. Another memento for another member of the family was a hen and brood of chickens, all done in sugar, and very lifelike. Baby McKee's egg was from Mr. John T. Ford,

A Troubled Mother Sulcides. INDEPENDENCE, Mo., April 21 .- Mrs. Samuel Ryget shot herself through the left eye this afternoon and died instantly. Domestic trouble was the cause of the sui-cide. She leaves two children, one 2 months

Lebanon, April 21.—Frank Lynn, a cubdue the fire.

The loss to the chair factory is about young man boarding at Mr. Wilborn Neah's, shot and killed Mrs. Noah at 9 o'clock to-night, then committed suicide.

engines and med, and worked an night to subdue the fire.

The loss to the chair factory is about \$200,000, with an insurance of \$50,000. The total loss on the 15 buildings destroyed was \$220,000, with insurance of about \$70,000. Killed His Boarding Mistress and Himself. o'clock to-night, then committed suicide.

and the other 18 months old.

James B. Dempsey Shoots His Sweethenr and Her Uncle and Then Commits Suicido Because His Suit

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.) NEW YORK, April 21 .- James B. Dempsey, a Harlem druggist, who has been paying attention to Miss Helen E. Stebbins, o 214 West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, shot himself in the head at the door of the house this morning, after trying to kill her and her uncle, George R. Storms with whom she lived. He shot twice at each of them and wounded the young woman slightly. Dempsey died in the Manhattan Hospital. Miss Stebbins, who is about 20, gives this account of her struggle with him. Dempsey had proposed once to Miss Stebbins, had been rejected and had attempted suicide. She says of his work

I had heard that he had gone away when

I had heard that he had gone away when I came across him in Seventh avenue on Saturday evening. He asked me to walk with him up the street to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street. In front of a vacant lot there he whipped out a pistol, and said that he was going to kill me and then himself. I tried to tell him how foolish a thing that would be, but when I saw him aiming the revolver I ran screaming down to my house here. He sent me two notes by district messenger boys, one of which I read and returned, the second I returned unopened. Then he sent a third by a colored boy. He was urgent in his demand that I should see him underneath the Elevated station at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, I did not go.

Early this morning his messenger came again. dred and Thirty-fifth street. I did not go.

Early this morning his messenger came again. I returned him word that I would not see him. An hour afterward I heard someone rapping at the glass door of the basement. I opened it. There stood Dempsey with his revolver. I tried to shut the door, but he prevented me from getting it shut, and I screamed for help. My uncle, Mr. Storms, camedown. Dempsey fired two shots at him through the door and uncle retreated. I could not keep out Dempsey any longer. I let him come in and we struggled together in the narrow hallway. He fired twice at me. The first bullet just tore the flesh of my left hand. The second explosion blackened my left eye. I fell and Dempsey probably thought he had killed me, for he thereupon shot himself in the head. I ran over his body up the cellar steps screaming out upon the sidewalk. A great crowd came. his body up the cellar steps screaming out upon the sidewalk. A great crowd came.

THE PASTOR AND THE PICTURE, He Disliked a Painting Behind His Pulpit

and Wiped It Out.

PHILADELPHIA, April 21 .- By a too free use of the paint brush the shepherd of a little flock of Methodists at Crozerville, Delaware county, has seriously injured his popularity. His name is Cornelius Hudson, and prior to his entrance upon a ministerial career he was a painter by trade. A few weeks ago he took up his brush again and hence all the trouble. The difficulty is all about a large water-color sketch illustrative of the line "Simply to Thy Cross I Cling," which was several years ago painted upon the church wall in the rear of the pul-

pit. It represented a gray stone cross to which a maiden with disheveled locks and clad in a somewhat neglige costume was clinging tenaciously, while the break-ing waves dashed high above her naked feet. This picture was an object of especial pride to all except a few members of the congregation, who were shocked at it for reasons easily imagined. When the good people of Crozerville repaired to the sanctuary one Sabbath morning a few weeks ago they found the walls staring at them blankly. The painting had been obliterated, and, as

they afterward discovered, by the pastor's The church folk were highly incensed but the trustees still more so. They had granted no authority for such effacement, and had had no premonition of it. One trustee was particularly disgruntled at the wanton destruction, and he threatened to resign his high office.

At a subsequent meeting of the board the pastor smilingly explained that he had wiped out the object of his disgust with ammonia and water and had followed up his destructive work with a coat of fresh paint. His excuse was that the clinging maiden's nose was peeling off and that her gossamer garments were cracking and falling away. This excuse is regarded as a lame one, and

PENALTIES OF CARELESSNESS.

Chinese Soldiers to be Strangled Because a Palace Gate Was Burned.

Pekin Shen Pao, Native paper. 1 The temporary gate erected in lieu of the palace gate recently accidentally burned will cost over Tis. 30,000. The Board of Revenue has presented Tls. 10,000 to the native fire brigades which came to the rescue, but this has been declined, and as a substitute they have been honored by the

permission to use a dragon flag.

The cost of restoring the gate as it was before is estimated at Tls. 570,000, but the work will not commence until after the Im-perial marriage. It was of ten different kinds of valuable wood, cedar, sandal, cypress, pine, elm, willow, box, which gave it a varie-gated and brilliant appearance. The guards have been handed over to the Board of Punishments, and it has been decided, in accordance with the precedent in the case of the burning of the K'ien-ts'ing Palace in the first year of Kia-k'ing (1786) that these unfortunate men shall be put to death by strangulation in autumn, after a period of

mprisonment.

There is a report that the fire-god himself appeared during the fire, in the guise of an old man in official dress, and warned the officers who were rushing to extinguish the flames that their efforts would be fruitless, disappearing when they tried to seize him.

NEW VOCATIONS FOR WOMEN.

Mending Bureaus, Purchasing Agencies and Cake Shops Found Profitable.

Every day there are new vocations for the gentler sex being opened up. Right here in Chicago there are two or three women making a good living by running a "mending bureau," where they rejuvinate clothing of Francisco for Samoa, laden with coal and all kinds for bachelors and families. There are others who operate purchasing agencies for people out of town who send in to have their shopping done. Some weeks ago a their shopping done. Some weeks ago a lady in reduced circumstances began to bake cakes and cookies for a retail grocer who is

cakes and cookies for a retail grocer who is a friend of hers. He was anxious to assist her in some way and he sold her sweets. Then the demand for them increased. Lady purchasers gave big party orders and asked who did this superb cooking. Pretty soon the woman found it necessary to branch out. She hired extra help as the demand for her cakes increased. Now she has a whole house and pays seven or sight has a whole house and pays seven or eight girls to cook under her supervision, while she furnishes cakes, pies, bread, etc., for a great many Southside families. She never will forget her mother's lessons, which she

A WISCONSIN TOWN SCORCHED. Fifteen Buildings Totally Destroyed With a

Loss of \$225,000. MILWAUKEE, WIS., April 21 .- West Depere, Wis., was almost swept out of existence by fire yesterday. It was not until noon to-day that the flames were gotten under control. The conflagration began in the Meiswinkel wooden ware factory, and thence spread rapidly till 50 houses were in flames. There was a strong wind blowing, and all attempts to subdue the fire proved unavailing, despite the efforts of the people from the surrounding country who came in and formed a bucket brigade.

About the same time an incendiary fire

was started in another part of town, and the towns of Fort Howard and Green Bay were telegraphed for aid. They responded with engines and men, and worked all night to

Unknown Burglars in North Carolina Commit a Horrible Crime.

FAMILY BUTCHERED AND BURNT Mother. Three Sons and Two Daughters

Slaughtered and Cremated. ANOTHER BLOT ON THE STATE'S NAME.

Through the Non-Enforcement of the Law Such Crimes Are Freq uent.

The details of the most horrible crime ever committed in North Carolina have come to light, though the guilty parties are unknown. During the absence of a well-todo farmer from his beautiful home, burglars entered the house, broke open a trunk, took therefrom the farmer's hoarded cash, \$700, butchered the poor man's wife, three sons and two daughters, and then set fire to the building to destroy all traces of the terrible

CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 21 .- Murder in North Carolina, it seems, is now becoming an ordinary crime. So many cries of murder are monthly reported that it is causing considerable alarm, and it is charged that our law in reference to this crime is not as rigidly enforced as it ought to be.

A short time ago Bertie county was the scene of a horrible crime, four women being butchered and then burned. The guilty parties have never been captured, and although the affair did create some feeling at the time, like most other cases, the feeling of excitement soon disappeared, and now nothing more is heard of it. This has been the case in numerous instances of late, where murder has been committed in this State, and it is remarkable to note how few criminals have been convicted of murder and sentenced to death whose death sentence is carried out.

VERY FEW MEN EVER HANGED.

More than 50 per cent of these are commuted to life imprisonment, until now in this State a criminal, no matter how grave his crime, if sentenced to death fully be-lieves "while there is life there is hope" for

The history of North Carolina has never recorded so horrible a crime as the one to-night reported from Macon county. W. P. Wood is an industrious and sturdy farmer, and lived in the country at least five miles from any neighbors. His family consisted of three sons and two daughters, beside his wife. Three of the children were grown and the other two were aged 12 and 14, Wood, by his thrift and enterprise, beside making a support for himself and wife, had saved some \$700, and his home was a model

as a country farm house.

On account of so much inconvenience to banks, Wood had always kept his money in an old trunk, which was securely locked at all times. It was generally known among the neighbors that Wood had this amount of money in his house, and at one time burglars attempted to break in on him in night, but he frightened them away with his gun.

A HAPPY HOME BUINED. Last Monday Wood was called away from home for a few days on business, and when he returned he was horrified to find his beautiful house in ashes. Without for one moment entertaining the idea that his family could all have perished in the flames, he at once went among his nearest neighbors, supposing they had taken shelter

among them.

After considerable searching, with no tidings of his family, Wood as a very last resort walked back to the site where his home had stood, to learn the worst. A short distance from the ruins a ghastly sight met his eyes. It was three axes and two bowie knives, all heavily stained with blood. Then, a short distance away, was an old trunk in which he had always kept his money. It was broken open and the con-tenis were gone. Found among the ashes were enough bones to show that the entire family had been murdered and then the

house fired. The crime has few parallels in the history of any State, and there are no clews of the

JEALOUSY LEADS TO MURDER.

Doubting Husband Kills His Wife and Then Commits Suicide. ATTICA, IND., April 21 .- A double tragedy was enacted here last night, whereby the lives of Simeon Houts and his wife were ended. Both bodies were found lying dressed on a bed in the Houts house. The bedding was saturated with blood. There were three wounds on the body of Mrs. Houts, one di-rectly under the left shoulder-blade, shot from the rear, one through the heart, and one through the fleshy part of the left hand. To take his own life the husband had made

but one shot, and that a sure one, through A half hour before the tragedy the two were down town shopping and appeared in good spirits. They were in their night clothes when found, and evidently were preparing for bed. No one witnessed the shooting or heard the quarrel that led to it, the five children being in their beds in another portion of the house. When the firing commenced the oldest child, aged 12, ran to a neighbor's and said; "Papa is kill-

There is no evidence to show the cause of the shooting, but it was probably from jealousy. Houts doubting that his wife was true to him. About a year ago he begun proceedings for a adivorce, but a settlement

A LEGISLATOR SEES SNAKES.

A Backwoods Member Finds a Reptile in a Bag of Pennuts. Albany (Ga.) News.

If there is anyone in the world who can beat a backwoods member of the Legislature eating roasted ground peas, that person is the average Superior Court bailiff. Now, there is a bailiff in Albany who is no exception to the rule. One of his friends knew this, and Thursday he set a trap for the balliff. The friend fixed up a small parameter be with per bag with a few peanuts and a small dead snake in it. He walked into the courtroom eating away on some ground peas that he had in his hand. The bailiff, like a warhorse scenting battle, caught one whiff of them. It was too much for him, he couldn't stand it, so getting up from his seat he walkel rapidly by his friend, jerking the bag, snake and all, out of his hand. With a chuckle of delight off went the officer to a corner of the courtroom. He turned up the bag to pour the coveted goobers into his hand, when, horrors! out

came the snake. That man just gave one look at his hand—the snake seemed to move—and with the single exclamation of "Oh!" the peanuts were scattered broadcast over the floor, and now Jim Greer swears that he will never eat another ground pea in court as long as he lives. A Veterinary Gont.

Kennebec Journal.;

In an Augusta livery stable a goat has for several years been kept as a preventer of sickness. He is allowed to caper about atteng the steeds at his own sweet will, and all of them recognize hm as an old friend.

NOT A GOOD IRON YEAR. A Decline in Production During 1885 as Compared With 1887-A Heavy Falling Woff in Rails-Europe a Heavy Produces at Higher Prices.

The annual statistical report of the Amerian Iron and Steel Association, just issued by James M. Swank, bears out the prediction made a year ago that 1888 would not be as good a year as 1887. There was a declinwin the production of iron and steel, aside from pig iron, and a shrinkage in prices, although the production compared with 1886 was still very large. The output of pig iron was 7,268,507 tons, an increase of 81,301 tons over 1887, and the largest ever attained. The greatcooler, followed by

est shrinkage in the production of the year was in Bessemer steel rails, and next to this the shrinkage in Bessemer steel ingots higher temperature variable winds. PITTSBURG, April 21, 1889. The United States Signal Service officer in 

DEAD DRUNK AT 16.

The Sad Condition of a Southside Boy Close

to a Spenk Enny.

James Hardy, a boy aged 16 years, was found lying on South Twenty-fourth street

last night in an intoxicated condition. He

was lying near a house which is said to be

a "speak easy," and it is thought the boy got his liquor there. He was too drunk to

Poor. Foolish Men.

is most acticeable. With so large a decline in the demand for pig iron for conversion into Bessemer steel ingots and rails, and with a slightly decreased demand for pig iron for conversion into the other products, the inquiry naturally arises, how could so much pig iron as was made in 1888 have been consumed? The explanation is found in the demand for pig iron for the manufacture of all kinds of machinery, agricultural implements, locomotives, railroad bridges, structural steel and the construction of new iron and steel works in the South. The importation River at 5 P. M., 4.6 lost; a fall of 0.3 feet in 24 River Telegrams. IMPECIAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATOR, 1 BROWNSVILLE—River 5 feet 2 inches and ationary. Weather clear. Thermometer 60 of pig iron was less in 1888, and in ap proximate consumption was 6,688,744 tons, against 6,808,386 tons in 1887. The increased production of pig iron in the South-era States in 1888 over 1877 was 203,422 net tons. The gain was chiefly in Ala-Mongantown-River 5 feet and stationary Weather clear. Thermometer 72° at 4 P. M. WARREN-River 1 4-10 feet and falling Weather clear and cold.

bama, which increased its production 156,-The total production of Bessemer steel rails in 1888 was 1,386,278 tons, a decrease of 715,626 tons, or 34 per cent., the shrink-age being greater than the total output in 1879. There was a still greater shrinkage in consumption. The approximate con-sumption of 1888 was 1,449,294 tons, a decrease of 790 198 tons the leading cause of the decline being due to the small amount of railroad building, only 7,100 miles of new road being constructed, against 13,080 miles

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give any account of himself and was locked up in the Twenty-eighth ward station. in 1887. Low prices reduced the imports of iron and steel from 1,783,256 in 1887 to 914,754 tons in 1888, and the imports of ore dropped from 1,194,301 tons in 1887 to 587,470 tons in

Pennnsylvania produced 49.3 per cent of Pennnsylvania produced 49.3 per cent of the total production of pig iron in 1888; Ohio, 15.2 per cent; Illinois 8 per cent, and Alabama 6.2 per cent. Every other State fell below 4 per cent. Allegheny county produced 890,569 tons of pig, easily retaining the lead, which it has held since 1883. Ever leading iron-making country in Europe increased its production of iron and attel in 1888, and sold the products at increased prices.

PITTSBURG HOLDS HER OWN. Still the Seventh City in the List of Clearing House Statements

BOSTON, MASS., April 21 .- The following able, compiled from reports sent the Post from the Clearing Houses in the cities named, shows the gross exchanges for the week ended April 20, with rates per cent of increase or decrease, as compared with the similar amounts for the corresponding week last year?

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from the St. Louis Post Dispatch.1

By all means let Filley be appointed Consul to Hong Kong, and may the Lord have mercy on the Hong Kongites. Viewing the Matter Philosophically, rom the St. Paul Globe. 1 There is a mixture of candor and local em tion in the declaration of the St. Louis paper

Look Here! Charity Begins at Home.

that it impairs the value of a Missouri senator to be drunk most of the time. An Invalgable Aid. From the Alta California. Mrs. James G. Blaine, Jr., already has more

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> ap9-77-MWFSu LACK OF LIFE.

When the pulse beats feebly: when the ener

When the pulse beats feebly: when the energy is gone; when the appetite is weak and sleep uncertain, then the body is in a condition of actual "low life." No matter what the causes may have been Nature has given way, and unless her strength is restored, disease is certain to take possession of the body. The first thing any doctor does in such a case is to assist Nature. Here are some instances:

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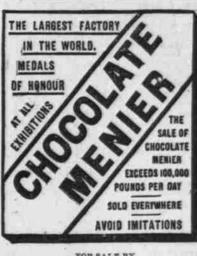
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PITTSBURG, PA., April 22, 1889, SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RE-CEIVED at the office of the City Con-troller until Thursday, May 2, A. D. 1889, at 2 P. M., for the following, viz.: Larkins alley, from South Twenty-fourth street to a point about 150 feet eastwardly, 12-inch pipe.

Carey alley, from end of present sewer near east line of South Twenty-ninth street, for a distance of 450 feet eastwardly; 12 and 15-inch pipe.

distance of 400 feet eastwards; 12 and 15-inch pipe.

Meyran street, from crown between Louisa and Bates streets, to Louisa street: 15-inch pipe. Butler street extension, River avenue, Ever-ett street, private property of John Berlin, Pennsylvania Railroad, Julius Voetter, et al, Penn avenue and Denniston avenue, from Fifth avenue to Shakespeare street; 4 to 5% foot brick and stope. Fifth avenue to Shakespeare street; 4 to 5)/4
feet brick and stone.

Denniston avenue, from Fifth avenue to
Shakespeare street; 20 and 24-inch pipe.

Fifth street, from Liberty avenue to the Alleigheny river; 18 inch-pipe.

Haights street and private properties of Mrs.
S. J. Sargent, John H. McKelvy, Wm. Ward,
Pemsylvania Insurance Company, A. V. R. R.,
M. F. Scaife and others, from Stanton avenue
to Allegheny river, 3 and 5 feet brick and
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Center avenue, from Graham street to College street; 15-inch pipe.
Stanton avenue, Viola alley and private property of Henry Janson and Mellon Bros., from west side of Hiland avenue to Negley run; 18, 20 and 24-inch pipe.
Herron avenue, from east side of Anderson street to Center avenue; 20 and 24-inch pipe.
Summerlea street, Holden street, Howe and O'Hara streets, from Ellsworth avenue to Shady avenue; 3 feet brick and stone—20 and 24-inch pipe.
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th pipe, rard and Neville streets, from Craig street outlet at or near tunnel of the Junction oad, north of Center avenue; 20 and 24 Proposals must be accompanied by a bond, probated before the Mayor or City Clerk.

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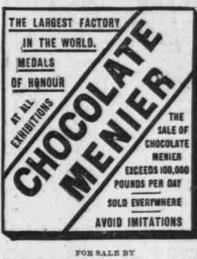
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